

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>MAIL STOP AF</b>
Alessandro TREQUATTRINI et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3777
Application No.: 10/768,169	)	Examiner: Peter Luong
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For: MAGNETIC RESONANCE	)	
IMAGING APPARATUS	)	

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2011, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: